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RESOURCE-SPARING OPERATING SYSTEM

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This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated September 19, 2007, for which a three-month shortened statutory period for response is set for December 19, 2007. Please amend the above-captioned application as follows.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.